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Reporting Suspicious Behavior

Your tip could save the lives of innocent people!

Surveillance

Anyone video recording or monitoring activities, taking notes, using cameras, maps, binoculars, etc., near key facilities/events.

Tests of Security

Any attempts to penetrate or test physical security or procedures at a key facility/event.

Acquiring Supplies

Anyone attempting to improperly acquire explosives, weapons, ammunition, dangerous chemicals, uniforms, badges, flight manuals, access cards or identification for a key facility/event under suspicious circumstances that could be used in a terrorist attack.

Suspicious Person(s)

Anyone who does not appear to belong in the workplace, neighborhood, business establishment, or near a key facility/event?

Elicitation

(Suspicious Questioning) Anyone attempting to gain information in person, by phone, mail, email, etc.



Antiterrorism

Your assistance is needed in preventing terrorist acts.

It's a fact that certain kinds of activities can indicate terrorist plans that are in the works, especially when they occur at or near high profile sites or places where large numbers of people gather; like government buildings, military facilities, utilities, bus or train stations, and major public events. Every day, reports from concerned citizens to law enforcement and homeland security partners at all levels of government, federal, state and local, observe suspicious behaviors or report suspicious activity.

See Something—Say Something works! JB MDL was a target of terrorism in the past. In 2007, the FBI foiled a plot that included six men conspiring to stage an attack on then Fort Dix commonly known as the Fort Dix Six). Their plan was to “kill as many soldiers as possible”. As they tried to convert a training video to DVD, a concerned citizen saw something wasn't right and alerted authorities; which ultimately lead to five of the six being convicted.

Your hometown partners in vigilance are; police and security forces, fire, emergency medical services, emergency managers, corrections officers, maritime port security, and antiterrorism professionals, to name a few. However, they are not a complete team without you. All of us comprise the first line of defense against terrorism, the critical role each of us plays in identifying and reporting suspicious activity gives law enforcement the edge it needs.

If you notice something suspicious, say something! Use the SALUTE report to cover the basic information law enforcement will need and any additional details regardless of how big or small you think they are. If you see something suspicious, report it to the Joint Base Police at 609-754-6001, or text AFOSI your tip to 274637 (CRIMES). To report tips about suspicious activity or behavior in New Jersey you can contact the Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness by calling 2-1-1 or the 24-hour toll free tip line at 866-4-SAFE-NJ (866-472-3365). If it is an emergency dial 911.

Staying vigilant will help mitigate potential threats and may very well deter terrorists from attempting to accomplish their objectives.

Force Protection Conditions (FPCON)

Force Protection Condition is a DoD system which describes the measures required to be taken by personnel in response to various levels of threats against military personnel and/or base facilities.

- **FPCON NORMAL:** routine security posture for general global terrorist threat.
- **FPCON ALPHA:** Increased general threat of possible terrorist activity.
- **FPCON BRAVO:** increased or more predictable terrorist threat.
- **FPCON CHARLIE:** incident occurs or when intelligence indicates terrorist action or targeting is likely.
- **FPCON DELTA:** attack has occurred or when intelligence reports that there is terrorist activity imminent.

What to Report:

- * **Size** - Number and description of person
- * **Activity** - What is suspicious
- * **Location** - Location of activity.
- * **Unit/Uniform** - What unit they belong to and what they are wearing.
- * **Time** - Date and time you observed the activity.
- * **Equipment** - Description of any equipment being used.

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April 30 / September 30!

America's PrepareAthon

A JB MDL grassroots campaign for action to get people better prepared for Emergencies and Natural Disasters.

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